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STINGERS OPEN TRAINING CAMP FACE OTTAWA GEE GEES IN EXHIBITION MATCH SUNDAY, AUG. 30-1:00 PM

Head Coach Pat Sheahan welcomed 84 players to the Stinger football training camp as Concordia prepares for their 1992 Ontario-Quebec Interuniversity Football Conference season.

Despite the loss of All-Canadians Jean-François Héroux and Jacques Moreau and Ron Aboud, the O-QIFC's career leading passer, Sheahan feels that the Stingers will once again be a strong contender for league and national honours.

Ranked tenth in the preseason polls, the Stinger training camp roster includes 34 veterans, and Sheahan expects strong competition for each starting spot. François Trudel, who has understudied in Aboud's shadow the last three seasons, has a powerful arm and appears ready to step in as the team's number one signal caller. Last year Trudel proved he can move the Concordia offense, completing 24 of 44 passes for 387 yards and 1 touchdown in a back-up role. The former Marie Victorin standout will have a strong complement of wide receivers to throw to – including Eric McLellan (9–113–1TD) and Jean–François Joyal. Joyal, who missed all but one of the team's nine games returns to the form that earned him the OQIFC Rookie of the Year in 1989. Rookies Uzo Ubani (Vanier College), Mark Montreuil (North Shore Broncos) and Matt Carlyle (South Grenville Giants) will bolster the receiving corps. The backfield will be led by veterans Dio Mastrodomenico (126 yds, 5.3 ave.), Robert Pinazza (199 yds., 3.6 ave.), Paul Quick, David Glube, Kevin Norris and Jamie Dugdale. Former Champlain Cougar Marco Ciamarro will add speed and toughness to the backfield.

All-conference guard Fred Marquette, in the long line of great offensive linemen produced by Concordia, will anchor a big, quick line. Joining him will be veteran Bill Venieris and some outstanding first year line players. Angelo Filosa (6'3, 280) and John Petrella (6'0, 245) of the Bol D'or Champion Vanier Cheetahs will join the Stinger line-up in 92. Jeff Peters (6'2, 240) from Hamilton and Dave LaVasseur (6[3, 250) of Peterborough will also wear maroon, white and gold this year. Peter Pozar, (6'4, 245) late of the Quebec Jr. Champion St. Hubert Rebels will add size and depth to Concordia University's O-line.

TRAINING CAMP SCHEDULE

Monday, August 24th to Saturday, August 29th 9:00 to 11:00 am and 3:30-5:30 pm

Exhibition Game vs Ottawa Gee Gees Sunday, August 30th - 1:00 pm

Concordia University Stingers 1992 Training Camp Roster

NAME		POS	HT	WT	HOMETOWN
François	Trudel	QB	6'1	190	St-Sauveur, PQ
Paul	Burdick	QB	5'9	175	Laval, PQ
Daniel	Leger	QB	6'2	200	Montreal, PQ
Robert	Pinazza	RB	6'0	215	St-Leonard, PQ
Paul	Quick Glube	RB	5'10 5'9	185	Kingston, ON
Dave	Norris	RB RB	5'9	185 185	Ottawa, ON Bolton, ON
Kevin Marco	Ciamarro	RB	5'10	180	St-Leonard, PQ
Dio	Mastrodomenico	FB	6'1	235	St-Leonard, PQ
Michael	Paul	FB	6'0	230	LaSalle, PQ
Jamie	Dugdale	FB	6'0	200	Almonte, ON
J.F.	Joyal	SB	6'2	195	St-Cyrille, PQ
Eric	McLellan	SB	6'2	185	St-Sauveur, PQ
Eric	Bouchard	SB	6'1	215	St-Bruno, PQ
Matt	Carlyle	SB	6'3	220	Maitland, ON
Nat	Vickers	SB	6'2	200	Mississauga, ON
Mike	Ego	SB	6'1	190	Brampton, ON
Brian	Payne	WR	5'10	175	LaSalle, PQ
Marc	Montrieul	WR	6'2	195	Dollard-des-Ormeaux, PQ
Uzo	Ubani	WR	6'2	190	Dorval, PQ
Sebastien	Vittecoq	WR	5'9	180	Lennoxville, PQ
Simon	Maheux	WR	5'9	165	St-Georges-de-Beauce, PQ
Denis	Montana	WR	6'1	190	St-Jean, PQ
Dickson	Alderson	WR	6.0	180	St-Bruno, PQ
Fred	Marquette	OL	6'2	260	Longueuil, PQ
Bill	Venieris	OL	6.0	265	Montreal, PQ
Angelo	Filosa	OL	6'3	275	Montreal North, PQ
Andrew	Rehel	OL	6.0	260	Kirkland, PQ
Peter	Pozar	OL	6'4	250	St-Bruno, PQ
Mike	Simoncic	OL	6'4	295	Hamilton, ON
Jeff	Peters	OL	6'2	260	Hamilton, ON
Dave	Lavasseur	OL	6'3	245	Peterborough, ON
Abdeen	Wahab	OL	6'0	275	Ottawa, ON
Luc	Benoit	OL	6.0	260	Repentigny, PQ
Joe	Merandi	P/K	6.0	285	Montreal North, PQ
Paul	Geary	P/K	6.0	295	Mississauga, ON
Dimitrios	Manolopoulos	DL	6'0	215	Anjou, PQ
Danny	Lavallee	DL	6'3	240	Middle Bay, PQ
Paul	Chesser	DL	6'3	240	North Bay, ON
Cliff	Cassidy	DL	6.0	235	Montreal, PQ
Karl	Selschotter	DL	6'2	235	St-Bruno, PQ
Todd	Smith	DL	6.0	230	Mississauga, ON
Giovanni	Petrella	DL	6'0	240	St-Leonard, PQ
Jim	Theophilos	DL	6'1	225	Etobicoke, ON
Maurizio	Calconi	DL	6'6	270	Stoney Creek, ON

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NAME		POS	нт	W T	HOMETOWN
Graham	Angliss	DL	6'0	240	Markham, ON
Kevin	Bileski	DL	6'1	250	Mississauga, ON
Mark	Weller	DL	6'3	225	Montreal, PQ
Mike	Druckman	DL	6'0	275	Moncton, NB
Chris	Senis	DL	6'0	220	Kingston, ON
Gaston	Thibodeau	LB	6'1	220	St-Canut, PQ
Luc	Pelland	LB	6'2	215	Chateauguay, PQ
John Paul	Silvestre	LB	6'2	225	Mississauga, ON
Sistino	Colatosti	LB	5'11	190	Montreal North, PQ
Rob	Taylor	LB	6,0	220	St-Bruno, PQ
Pat	Guindon	LB	6'1	225	Montreal, PQ
John	McDonald	LB	6.0	225	Kirkland, PQ
Alex	Mitu	LB	6.0	215	St-Hilaire, PQ
Kevin	Cameron	LB	6'1	220	Peterborough, ON
Archie	Psilles	LB	6.0	215	Laval, PQ
Rob	Zoppi	LB	6'1	220	Dollard-des-Ormeaux, PQ
Dave	Jackson	LB	5'10	215	Burnaby, BC
Christian	Veillette	LB	6.0	220	Trois-Rivières, PQ
Scott	Hitchcock	DB	5'11	185	Markham, ON
Marc	Fortier	DB	5'11	180	St-Eustache, PQ
Joe	Cardi	DB	6'0	180	LaSalle, PQ
Spiros	Feradouris	DB	5'10	190	Montreal, PQ
Gary	Locke	DB	5'10	175	Ottawa, ON
Sean	Leroy	DB	5'10	190	Hamilton, ON
Damani	Best	DB	5'10	175	Hamilton, ON
Benoit	Uson	DB	5'11	190	Montreal, PQ
Sean	Timmons	DB	5'11	180	Mississauga, ON
Rob	Schwartz	DB	5'9	185	Pierrefonds, PQ
Nick	Hatziiliou	DB	5'11	195	St-Laurent, PQ
Billy	Battaille	DB	6'2	190	Roxboro, PQ
J.F.	Ducharme	DB	5'11	175	Alma, PQ
Marc	Parent	DB	6.0	195	Quebec City, PQ
Ben	Peternel	DL	6.0	260	Hamilton, ON
André	Bolduc	WR	5'11	185	Alma, PQ